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### DAYTON IS STILL NEEDED.

The efforts to dispense with the services of Congressman Dayton in the second district are not at all commendable. He enjoys greater prominence than any of the congressmen from this State and has attained a commanding position in the congress of the United States, such as has resulted in his being on some of the most important committees. He stands close to the President and his cabinet and has done much valuable service to both his own State and the nation. There has been nothing in his public career to condemn him or to subject him to the annoyance and humiliation that were undertaken in the district this year. He has expressed his sentiments on the tax question, but they are not such that he could not easily adjust them to the platform of the party, whatever that may be. It is not believed that he is so radical on that question as some would have us believe and that, even though his opinions should differ some from the attitude of his party, he would be obdurate or conceited enough not to subside to that position. There appears to be more or less personal bitterness in the fight against him and the opposition was led by men who have sought his shoes for shoes for several years. But the convention endorsed his course in significant terms, numerically at least, and, if the Republicans of the district are wise, they will all give him their heartiest support. They cannot afford to let a Democrat be elected.

Senator Depew as chairman of the New York State Republican convention says the campaign of the Democrats this year nationally, is to be conducted wholly in opposition to tariff and to President Roosevelt. On the first proposition there are but few Democrats who want any more of that free trade stuff they were supposed to get under Cleveland, when the tariff question was such an issue, and they are all glad the starvation

period ended with Cleveland. The fact is, if they know themselves they are not going to meddle with the tariff, but will shy as far away from it as possible, for the reason that the rank and file of the party is satisfied that their professed leaders do not know how to handle that question satisfactorily and in a manner that will be beneficial to the country. So far as the course of President Roosevelt is concerned, the Democratic party has extolled him through its press so much and so heartily as a chief executive of the highest and best type that there need be no fear of what it may undertake to say under the excitement of a campaign, and besides there is no substantial argument against him. Truly American that he is, true Americanism will support him.

There is considerable irresponsibility, it appears, in railroading in this country of late, and the subject is worthy of thorough investigation, in fact, it is urgent that such investigation should be made. If it be the fault of employees of railroad companies, it is the duty of the companies to make the most searching examination of the matter. If it be the fault of the companies themselves it is the imperative duty of the State and nation, perhaps, to take the thing in hand and see what is the matter. And that leads to the idea that there ought to be a railroad commission in this State with defined duties, not arbitrary or detrimental, but such as will give justice to both the railroads and those who patronize them.

Even one of Cleveland's cabinet members, the one from Michigan, is out in an interview against Judge Parker and the reason is that he led the campaign for Hill that defeated Cleveland for the presidency the second time. But this same cabinet member, that used to be, is just as much opposed to Hearst, the man without a moral reputation. It now remains for Henry Watterson in his dotage to fix up a ticket entirely different, and, although he may have not done much as yet, the public can depend upon the famous straddler to do something of the sort, if he does not get infatuated with the greatness of the country as portrayed at the World's Fair.

The morning edition of the Wheeling Register is interesting for its lack of news of the day. For instance, so far as we could see, there was nothing in the Wednesday morning edition about the Republican congressional convention that was held in that city the afternoon before. All it said was that Doyener would be nominated to-day, meaning Wednesday, of course. On such important events as the one here referred to, it is not amiss to say that the Register is just a little behind the times.

It really amuses us to see how outraged some fellows feel over the results of the recent city election, especially, when it comes to one or two Democrats, and two persons who are supposed to be Republicans, paving the air. They might as well conclude to take their medicine, but incidentally, it is only just

to say that the Democrats were the best in that bunch.

The Telegram congratulates the second district in possessing the happy faculty to pull off a congressional convention without a riot or bloodshed, such as has disgraced some of the counties of the State this year. And we may add that it has not been on the one side altogether.

Every State thus far that has had a State convention has instructed its delegates to the national convention for Roosevelt. The natural conclusion is that the Democratic press has been very wrong in its assumptions that President Roosevelt is not in favor with his party.

It is strongly intimated that Russia seeks to involve the nations of the earth in the present war in the far east, but, from what has taken place thus far, it would seem to the sensible man that Russia has involved in conflict about as much already as can be handled.

### DEEDS RECORDED.

Deeds have been recorded as follows: Curtis E. Prunty to Edward Blake, 1 lot, Carlyle Court, city.  
Clarksburg Industrial Company to P. C. Williams, 1 lot, East Clarksburg.  
Co-operative Realty Company to W. C. Burnside, 1 lot, city.  
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H. C. McDaniel and H. T. Hardesty to James P. McIntyre and others, 2 lots, Enterprise.

### BLAZE IN HOTEL KITCHEN DISCOVERED IN ITS INCIPIENCY

The flooring underneath the range in the kitchen of the Swager hotel caught afire Tuesday afternoon but it was discovered by one of the employees and extinguished before any damage was done. A small hole was burned in the flooring, and the loss is but a trifle. It is fortunate the blaze was discovered when it was else there might have been a serious fire.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

State Meeting Will Be Held at Grafton, April 19-21, 1904.

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